GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Environment, Forests, Science & Technology Department – Constitution of Advisory Committee under Section 6 of the Andhra Pradesh Minor Forest Produce (Regulation of Trade) Act, 1971 for the Beedi Leaf Season 2023 - Orders – Issued.

ENVIRONMENT, FORESTS, SCIENCE & TECHNOLOGY (Section-II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Rt.No.122 **Dated:15.11.2022**

Read:-

From the PCCF & HoFF(FAC), A.P, Lr.Rc.No.8262/2022/Prod.4(i), dt.08.09.2022.

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ORDER:-

In the letter read above, the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests &Head of Forest Force(FAC), Andhra Pradesh, has requested the Government to constitute a committee under Section-6 of the Andhra Pradesh Minor Forest Produce (Regulation of Trade) Act, 1971 for the purpose of advising the Government on the rates at which the wages that have to be paid to the labour for the collection of Beedi Leaves from the Government lands during 2023 Beedi Leaf season.

2. After careful examination of the proposal and under Section-6 of the Andhra Pradesh Minor Forest Produce (Regulation of Trade) Act,1971, the Government hereby constitute an Advisory Committee consisting of the following members for the year ending with 30th June, 2023 in respect of Abnus (Tuniki or Beedi) Leaves, for 2023 Beedi Leaf Season.

A)	Official Representative	Category
1)	Prl. Chief Conservator of Forests (Prod.) O/o the Prl.CCF& HoFF, A.P., Guntur	Chairman
2)	CCF, Rajahmundry Circle	Member-Convener
3)	Sri K. Adinarayana, Addl. Secretary to Government. Representative of Secretary, Finance Department	Member
B)	**Registered Traders/ Manufacturers**	
1)	Chief General Manager/Representative of VC&MD, A.P.Forest Development Corporation Limited, Guntur	Member
2)	One member to be nominated from the list of Traders (or) DFO may be requested to nominate one member as a trader from Bhadrachalam.	Member
C)	**Beedi Leaf Collection Labour**	
1)	One member to be nominated from the list of B.L. Collection labour from Divisional Forest Officer	Member

3. The Advisory Committee shall be a first class Committee for the purpose of drawal of Travelling Allowance and Daily Allowance by the non-official members and the payment of Travelling Allowance & Daily Allowances etc., shall be regulated according to Rule 13 under Annexure-VI as per Rule 91 of Andhra Pradesh Civil Services (TA) Rules, 1996. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests (Production) (or) a Senior Officer of office of the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests &Head of Forest Force as nominated by Principal Chief Conservator of Forests &Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh, Guntur, who is the Chairman and Convener of the Committee will be the controlling authority for the purpose of counter signing the T.A. Bills of the non-official members. The term of the Committee shall expire on 30.06.2023.

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4. The expenditure on Travelling Allowance and Daily Allowance shall be debited to the Head of Account "8443-Civil Deposit, 109-Forest Deposit Beedi Leaf Scheme".

5. The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests & Head of Forest Force, Andhra Pradesh shall take further necessary action in the matter accordingly.

6. Further, the Government hereby direct the Principal Chief Conservator of Forests &Head of Forest Force to furnish recommendations of the Advisory Committee along with other details to Government, before going to auction, for approval.

7. This order issues with the concurrence of Finance (FMU-EFS&T&MA&UD) Department vide their U.O.No.FIN01-FMU0BES/8/2019, dated.02.11.2022, (Computer No.782829).

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)
NEERABH KUMAR PRASAD
SPCIAL CHIEF SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To
The Principal Chief Conservator of Forests &Head of Forest Force(FAC),
Andhra Pradesh, Guntur.
The Vice Chairman & Managing Director,
Andhra Pradesh Forest Development Corporation Limited,
Andhra Pradesh, Guntur.
The Members of Advisory Committee through the PCCF &HoFF.

Copy to:
The Finance (FMU-EFS& T& MA&UD) Department
The P.S to Hon'ble M (E,FES&T).
The P.S to Special Chief Secretary to Govt., EFS&T Dept.,
SF/SC(Computer No.1846767).

// FORWARDED :: BY ORDER //

SECTION OFFICER